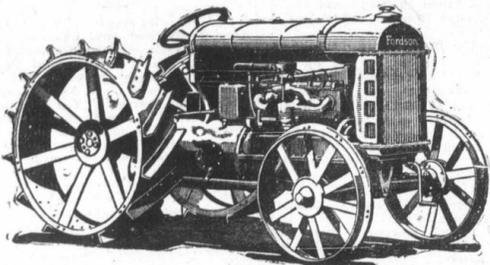


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- 27TH REGT.—1ST BATTALION**
18th, 1915
Richard H Stapleford
Bury C Binks Arthur Owens
L Gunn Newell, killed in action
F C N Newell, DCM T Ward
Alf Woodward, killed in action
Sid Welsh M Cunningham
M Blomdel W Burt
E W Bailey A L Johnston
R A Johnston G Mathews
C Manning W Glenn Nichol
F Phelps H F Small
E W Smith C Toop
J Ward, killed in action C Ward
F Wakelin, D.C.M., killed in action
T Wakelin, wounded and missing
H Whitsett B Harly
- PRINCESS PATRICIA'S C. L. I.
Gerald H Brown
- 18TH BATTALION**
C A Barnes Geo Ferris
Edmund Watson G Shanks
J Burns F Burns
C Blunt Wm Auttersson
S P Shanks Walter Woolvett
- 2ND DIVISIONAL CAVALRY**
Lorne Lucas Ftsuk Verks
Chas Potter
- 33RD BATTALION**
Percy Mitchell, died of wounds Oct. 14, 1916
Lloyd Howden
Geo Fountain killed in action Sept. 15, 1916
Gordon H Patterson, died in Victoria Hospital, London
- 34TH BATTALION**
R C Crohn S Newell
Macklin Hagle, missing since Oct. 8, 1916
Stanley Rogers Wm Manning
Henry Holmes, killed in action Sept. 27, 1916
Leonard Lees
C Jamieson
- 29TH BATTALION**
Wm Mitchell John Howard
- 70TH BATTALION**
Ernest Lawrence Alfred Emmerson
C H Loyd A Banks
S R Whalton, killed in action Oct., 1916
Thos Meyers Joe M Warden
Vern Brown Alf Bullough
Sid Brown, killed in action Sept. 15, 1916
- 28TH BATTALION**
Thomas Lamb, killed in action
MOUNTED RIFLES
Fred A Taylor
- PIONEERS**
Wm Macnally W F Goodman
ENGINEERS
- J Tomlin**
Basil Saunders Cecil McNaughton
ARMY MEDICAL CORPS
T A Brandon M D W J McKenzie M D
Norman McKenzie Jerold W Snell
Allen W Edwards Wm McCausland
Basil Gault
- 135TH BATTALION**
Nichol McLachlin, killed in action July 6th, 1917
- 3RD RESERVE BATTALION, C.F.A.**
Alfred Levi
- 116TH BATTALION**
Clayton O Fuller, killed in action April 8th, 1917
- 196TH BATTALION**
R R Annett

- 70TH BATTERY**
R H Trenouth, killed in action on May 8th, 1917
Murray M Forster V W Willoughby
Ambrose Gavigan
- 142ND BATTALION**
Lieut. Gerald I. Taylor
Austin Potter
- GUNNER**
Russ G Clark
- R.N.C.V.R.**
John J Brown T. A. Gilliland
1st Class Petty Officers.
- Frederick H. Haskett, sub-surgeon
ARMY DENTAL CORPS
Elgin D Hicks H D Taylor
ARMY SERVICE CORPS
Frank Elliot R H Acton
Arthur McKecher
- 58TH BATTALION**
Roy E Acton, killed in action Nov. 3, 1917
- 64th BATTERY**
C F Luckham Harold D Robinson
Romo Auld
- 63RD BATTERY**
Walter A Restorick George W. Parker
Clare Fuller
- 67th BATTERY**
Edgar Prentiss
- 69TH BATTERY**
Chester W Cook
- ROYAL AIR FORCE**
Lieut M R James Cadet D. V. Auld
J. C. Hill, mechanic
Lieut. J. B. Tiffin
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Pte. C. Stillwell
Pte. Macklin Hagle
Sergt. Clayton O. Fuller.
Gunner Russell Howard Trenouth.
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Bandsman A. I. Small

"HER BOY" A GIFT

Supreme Sacrifice for Country Made Willingly

Spirit of American Women Manifested in Statement of One Who Had Been Called On to Give Up All She Had.

It was in a Red Cross workshop somewhere in New York City. The limelight woman moved around among the workers and talked incessantly. "My boy has gone to France," she said mournfully. "I can't get reconciled. It doesn't seem right for a mother to devote years to the raising of a boy only to have him snatched away in the twinkling of an eye. I am patriotic enough, goodness knows—I am willing to give everything, within reason, to my country, but I can't help but get other two boys exempted. I think all mothers feel that way, don't you, Mrs. Smith? It's the 'mother' in us."

She wiped away some tears and slowly rolled a bandage.

"It is easy enough for those who have no sons to preach these high ideals," answered Mrs. South in sympathy. "I am really not dependent upon my son, but if I can keep him from going by putting in that claim, I certainly shall do it. I think it is every mother's right to save her son for herself if she can. Don't think I'm not patriotic. I am working every minute in some sort of war relief work. Indeed I have no use for these unpatriotic women. What do you think, Miss Sawyer?"

A frail little woman in a chair by the window looked up from her work with glowing eyes.

"My boy is in France, and I am glad of it," she said simply.

"Your boy?" came in voices in unison.

"Yes, my boy. My sister died when Jack was two weeks old, and I have had him ever since. He was such a dear little fellow, such a dependable boy as he grew older, and such a comfort when he reached his manhood. . . . He has been to me what sweetheart, husband and children have been to you. We were just beginning to feel that life was easier when our country entered the war. For three evenings after the president's war message he sat without talking. I knew what was on his mind, so the fourth evening I told him not to think about it any more, but just go. He said: 'But you, auntie, you deserve some ease now. You have done so much for me, and you have had such a hard fight to make both ends meet.' I said, 'Nonsense, the fight never hurt me. What if the mothers of Washington and Grant had wept and wailed and kept them at home? No, my boy, I want you always to do a man's part, no matter where it takes you or where it leaves you.' He has gone, and I am glad that he has. I couldn't bear to have some other woman's boy protecting me. If Jack does not come back, I shall still be glad he went—for I didn't loan my boy to my country. I gave him."

There was silence in the workshop. The limelight woman was staring straight ahead of her. Mrs. South hesitated for a moment, then leaned forward and tenderly patted the work-roughened fingers which stitched so steadily.

"Thank you," was all she said.

Ships Must Have Wireless.

Every ocean steamer that leaves an American port is required by law to have wireless telegraph apparatus and operators. An act of congress, passed in 1910, made it unlawful for any ocean-going steamer carrying passengers to leave or attempt to leave any port of the United States without being equipped with an efficient apparatus for radio communication, in good working order, in charge of a person skilled in the use of such apparatus, which apparatus is capable of transmitting and receiving messages over a distance of at least one hundred miles, night or day. After the Titanic disaster, in 1912, this act was amended by providing that "the radio equipment must be in charge of two or more persons skilled in the use of such apparatus, one or the other of whom shall be on duty at all times while the vessel is being navigated." The provision for two skilled operators was to cover the possibility of one being overworked.

Corrupt Prussian Elections.

The present electoral system is indirect; the ballot is open and verbal instead of secret and written; no real redistribution of seats has been made to conform to the great shifting in population since 1860; and the three-class system, the rock on which the state is built, has done to the grossly and corruptly unfair.

Indirect election to the Legislature and public voting are, both agencies, through which a dominant class may revamp the popular will to suit its own interests. The former cannot be defended by the junketers themselves, for Bismarck condemned it, fifty years ago: "I am convinced that indirect suffrage falsifies the result of elections, and that direct elections, would bring more talent to the Chamber." On the other hand, there is a serious attempt to justify the open ballot. In Conservative circles the stock argument in its defence is the salutary oversight which it makes possible over the proletariat, whose caprice and material interests would lead them to abuse the franchise if unrestrained. It is certainly true that the Prussian system leaves little room for the personification, repeating, and ballot-switching with which American elections are afflicted. Elections are more honestly conducted. The Conservatives also claim that the open ballot calls out the highest of all Prussian virtues, die echte Buggerrugend. It is a test of the courage of a man's convictions, a challenge to his civic sense of duty.

Such is probably the case where the majority of the electorate is free to speak its own mind. But John Stuart Mill wrote: "If the dependent relation are such that the individual voter in any considerable number or to any great degree is afraid of the public ballot, and either abstains from voting or votes contrary to his convictions, then the secret ballot is the lesser evil." This is the condition in Prussia, and the election has been so freely used and so frankly admitted by both Liberals and Conservatives that the Social Democrats characterize the whole election system as one of terror. Butchers, bakers, and grocers are terrorized by Social Democratic housewives who threaten to trade strictly within party lines. Beer gardens are boycotted if the management is of a marked anti-Socialist complexion. In return, Treitschke asked in a widely circulated pamphlet: "Why do not our great manufacturers declare that they will employ no workmen who take part in the Social Democratic agitation?"—Review of Reviews.

A Waterproof Match.

An inventor who is said to have won a large prize from the Belgian Government for inventing a non-phosphorous safety match, has recently developed a match which, he claims, is waterproof, wind proof, and also foolproof. After tests made by United States authorities, orders have been placed for a quantity of these matches, which will be especially serviceable in lighting signal rockets, certain types of bombs, and on shipboard in bad weather. Water does not harm them and in the face of a strong wind they will burn for five minutes at least. As soon as a blaze is extinguished the ash is cool, and the burned match can be thrown anywhere without danger of starting a fire. Because of this feature the new article is called foolproof.

Japanese to Visit China.

A delegation of members of the Japanese House of Representatives will soon visit China, Manchuria and parts of Siberia to observe conditions. Harbin and Vladivostok are among the places at which they will call. The projected visit is occasioning some interest because of the possibility of Japan eventually being forced to send an army into Eastern Siberia should Japanese interests be in peril.

Clearing Out Forests.

Because of the war, Scotland has been cutting down a great many trees to supply its own needs. Much of the land thus cleared will eventually be used for agriculture.

REQUISITE ON THE FARM.

Every farmer and stock raiser should keep a supply of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil on hand, not only as a ready remedy for ills in the family but because it is a horse and cattle medicine of great potency. As a substitute for sweet oil for horses and cattle affected by colic it far surpasses anything that can be administered.

The wheat crop of Dan McKellar, Alvinston, yielded 50 bushel to the acre.

Flight-Lieut. D. H. McGibbon, son of the late David McGibbon, of Sarnia, was killed in an airplane accident in England.

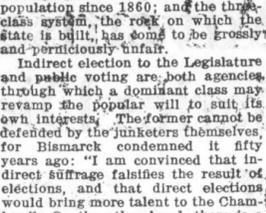
Experiments are being made in St. Thomas with peat secured on H. J. Hales' farm in Dunwich.

The McAlpine hotel, Glencoe, has been rented by a Detroit man, who is preparing to open it up for a boarding and rooming house.

Dan McLean of Metcalfe township was taken to Strathroy hospital suffering from a compound fracture of the leg. Mr. McLean was driving a horse on a hoist when the whiffletree broke, striking him in the leg.

Mrs. Reynolds Sr., of Goderich, nearly 82 years old and blind since the first year of the war, knitted 756 pairs of socks between February 1, 1915, and August 30, 1918, and treasures a letter from Queen Mary recognizing her valuable service.

RECEIVING WAR CROSS



The patriotic spirit and devotion with which Canadian women have so far performed war-service work and made sacrifices has never been equalled in the history of any country. Mothers, wives and sisters support this burden with strength and fortitude. But those who are already miserable from the complaints and weakness which are so common to women should take the right temperance tonic for the womanly system.

If a woman is borne down by pain and sufferings, by nervousness or dizzy spells, by headache or backache, "Favorito Prescription" should be taken. It can now be had in tablet form as well as liquid at most drug stores. Send to Dr. Pierce's Branch at Bridgeburg, Ont., for a 10c trial pkg. of tablets.

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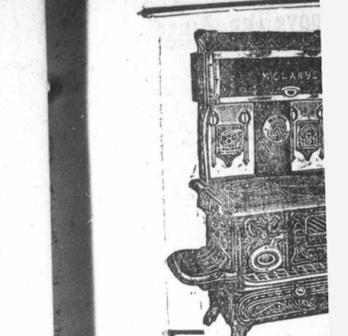


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